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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING RESPONSE (PRISTINA 436)

REF: PRISTINA 436

¶1. (U) This cable responds to the action request in reftel requesting human rights vetting for the candidates selected for the Principles of Defense Procurement and Contracting Course from 31 October to 13 November 2009.

¶2. (U) The Department of State has vetted the individuals listed in reftel and possesses no credible derogatory information as of 10/19/2009. Post is authorized to include the following individuals in USG-funded training:

Mr. Kadri Arifi	
Position:	Assistant General Director for Crimes
Date of birth:	29 October 1968
Place of birth:	Lipjan
Passport No:	K00275220
Consular Vetting:	Completed on October 1, 2009 by
Embassy Pristina	

Ms. Aferdita Mikullovci	
Position:	Deputy Regional Director for Crimes
Date of birth:	03 June 1976
Place of birth:	Mitrovice
Passport No:	K00517565
Consular Vetting:	Completed on October 1, 2009 by
Embassy Pristina	

¶3. (U) Post is permitted to provide the following statement to authorized parties: Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the individual(s) identified above, as of 10/19/2009. Post may cite this cable in response.

¶4. (U) Note that if Post subsequently becomes aware of possible human rights violations by the individual(s) listed above, Post should inform the Department and not proceed with training. Post should refer to the Leahy Vetting guidance manual for additional assistance.
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